

**Concurrent Design at JPL
-Status and Plans-**

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 - a, Status
 - b, Latest Developments (CFD, VT, Immersive 3D)
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8. A Systems Design Curriculum
9. Future Visions

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Contributing Organizations

Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL)/California Institute of Technology

- Mission Development
- Modeling and Simulation
- Payload Division
- Ground Operations
- Power
- Science
- Thermal
- Telecom
- Mars Rover Technology

Mars Program Office

NASA

- Code FT HQ
- Marshall
- Langley

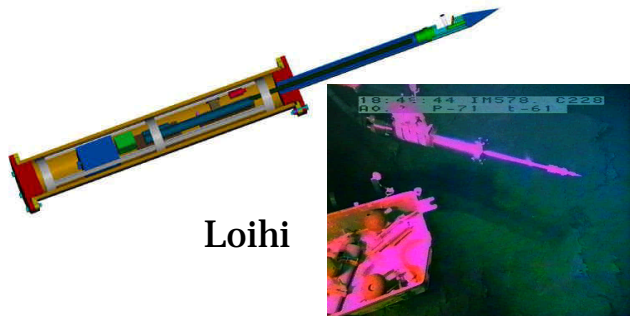
NASDA

- Tsukuba Space Center

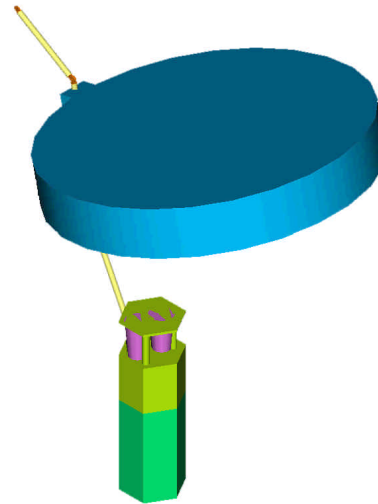
Stanford University, CA

Old Dominion University, VA

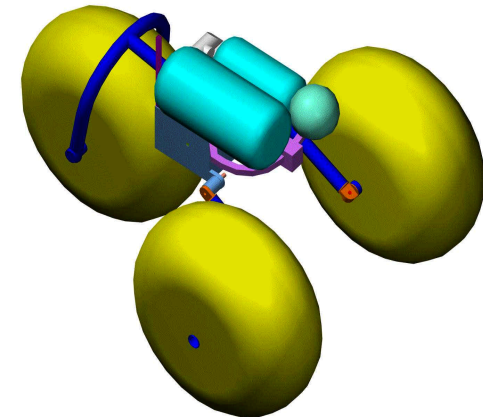
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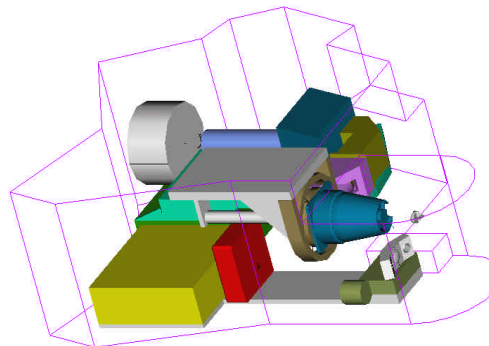


IIP/OSIRIS



Mars Outpost
Rover

**Concurrent Design Teams
Supported ~ 60 Studies
Over the Last 3 Years**



DS (ST)-4/CIRCLE

**Design Maturity
Improvements: <10
Time Compression: <4**

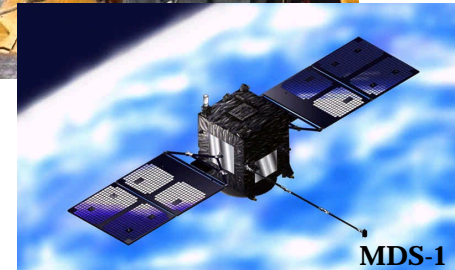
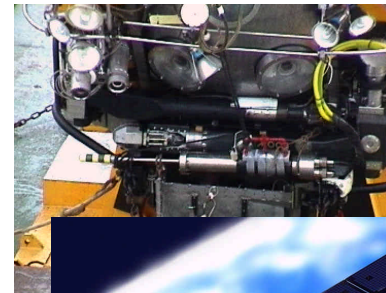
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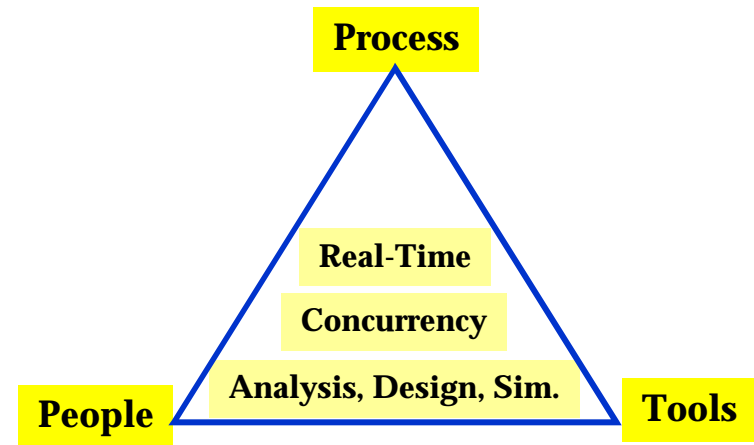
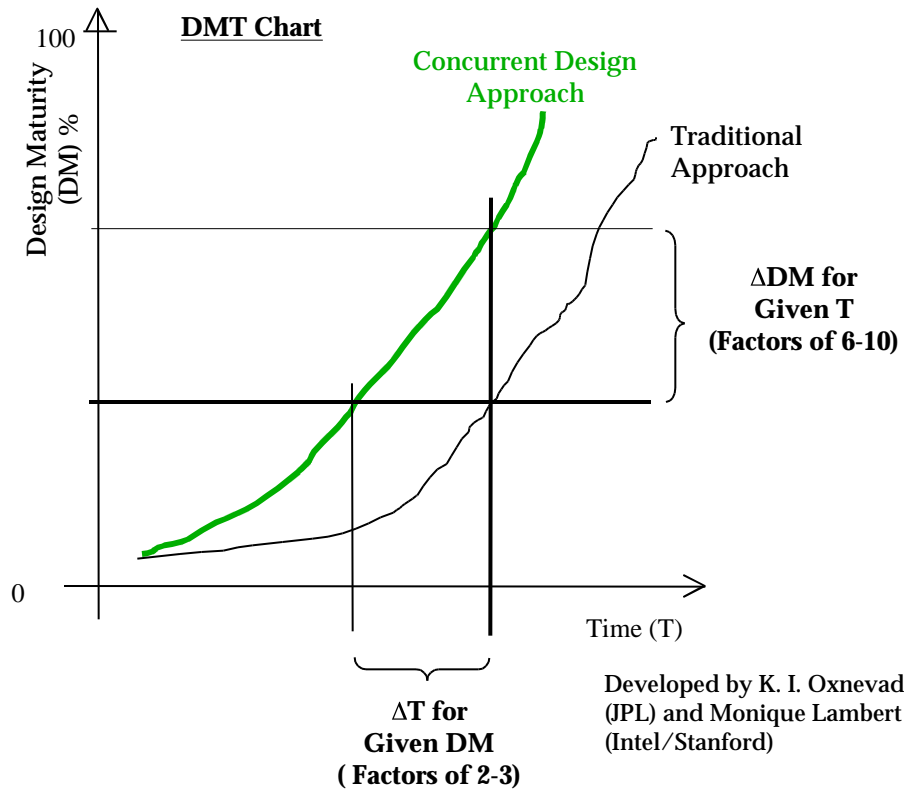
Concept

Compressed Design Cycle & Improved Quality

Space System (HW/SW)



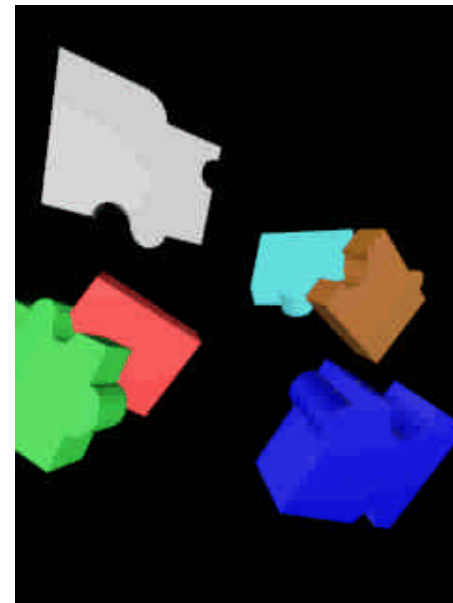
It's About...



PPT-Model

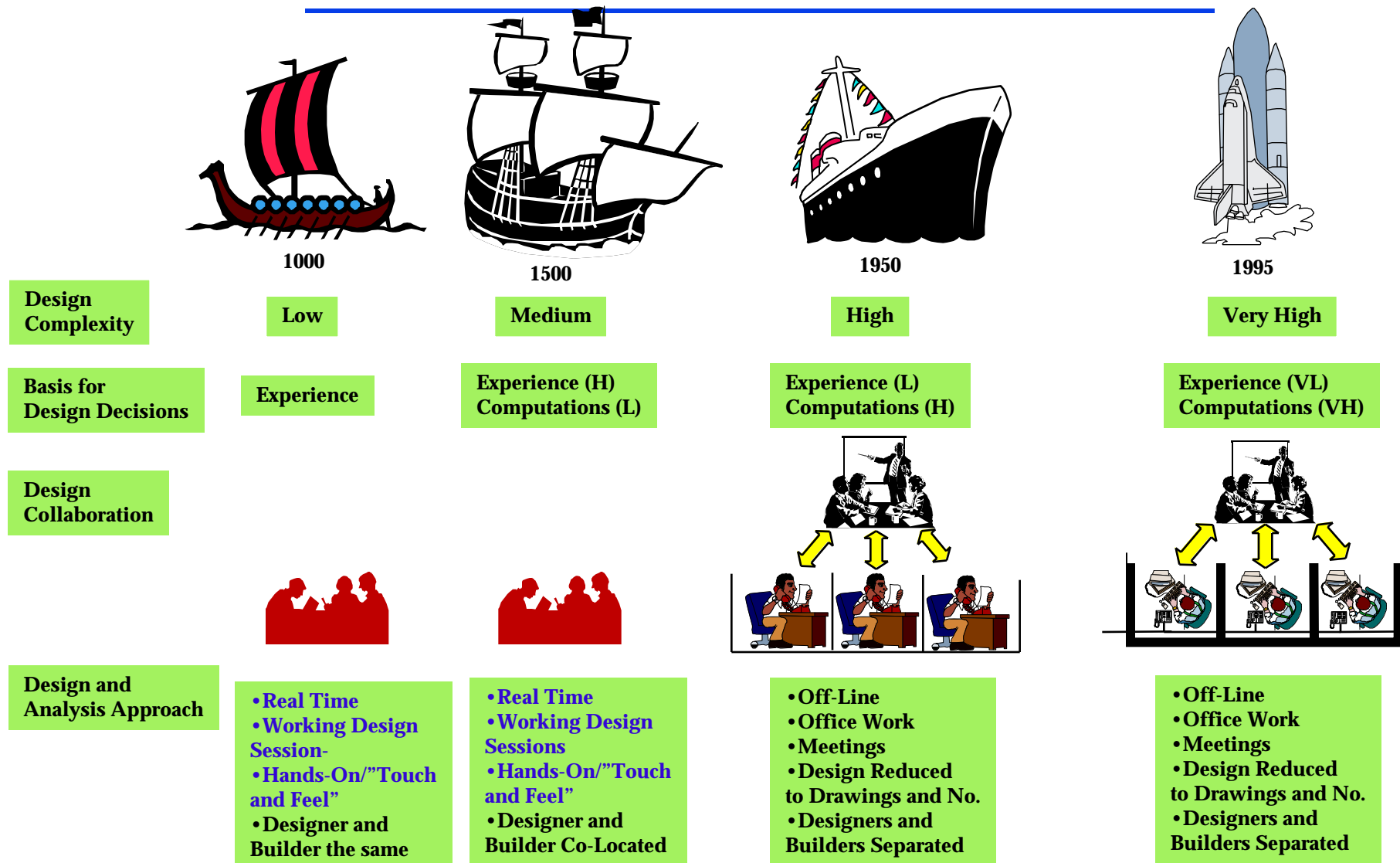
The Challenge

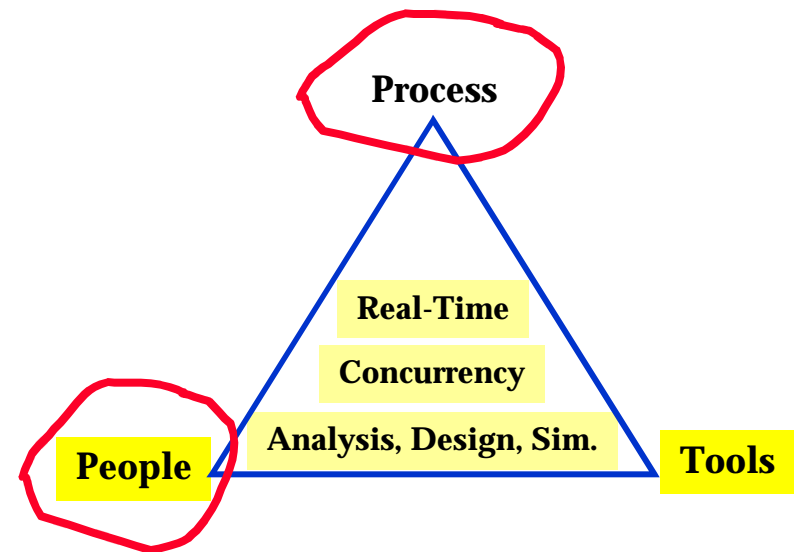
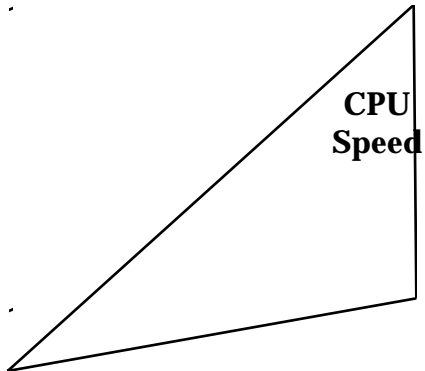
The biggest Challenge facing Space Development today does not lie within a specific **technology/discipline**, but rather in our ability to make these **technologies/disciplines** work efficiently together to achieve our **objectives**.



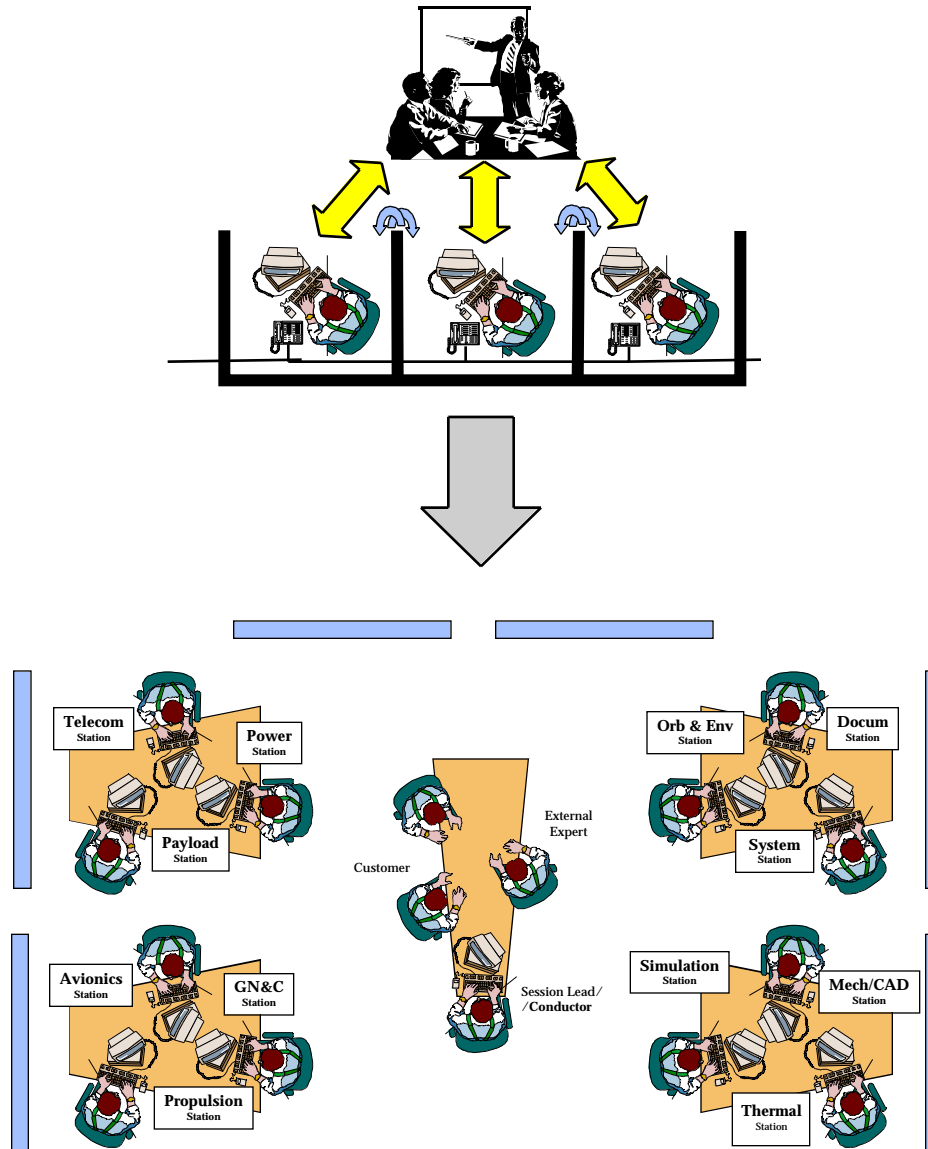
We must find entirely new ways to achieve our objectives ----- Sean O'Keefe

A Historical Perspective

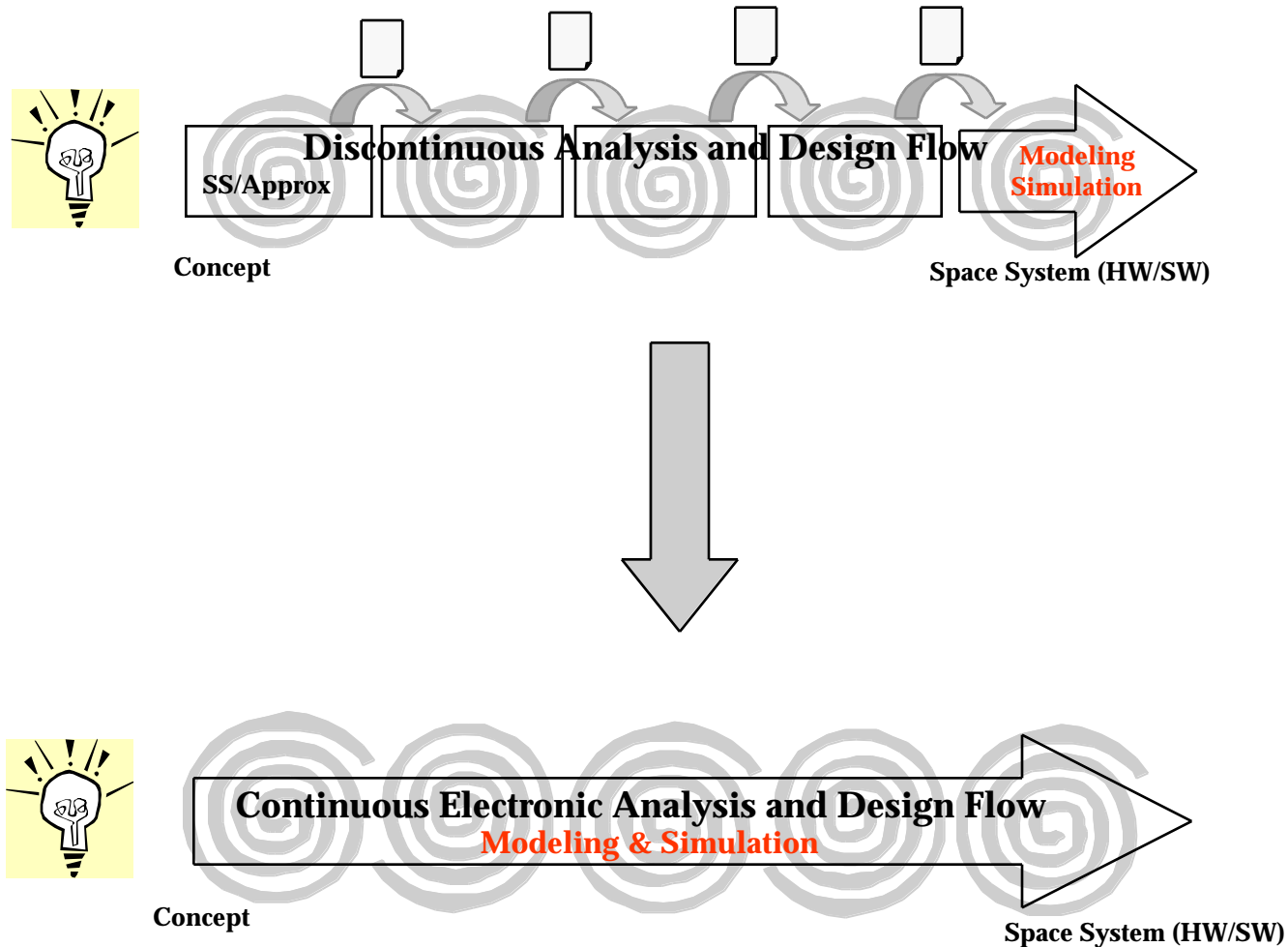




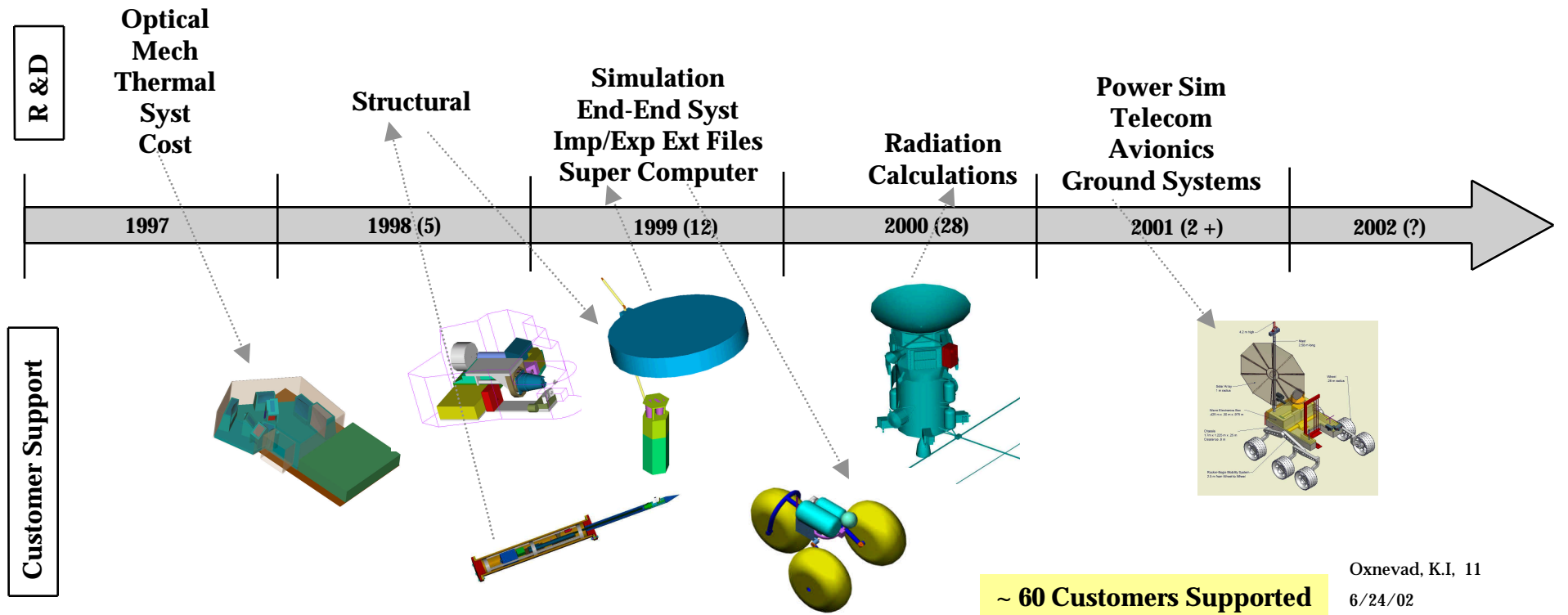
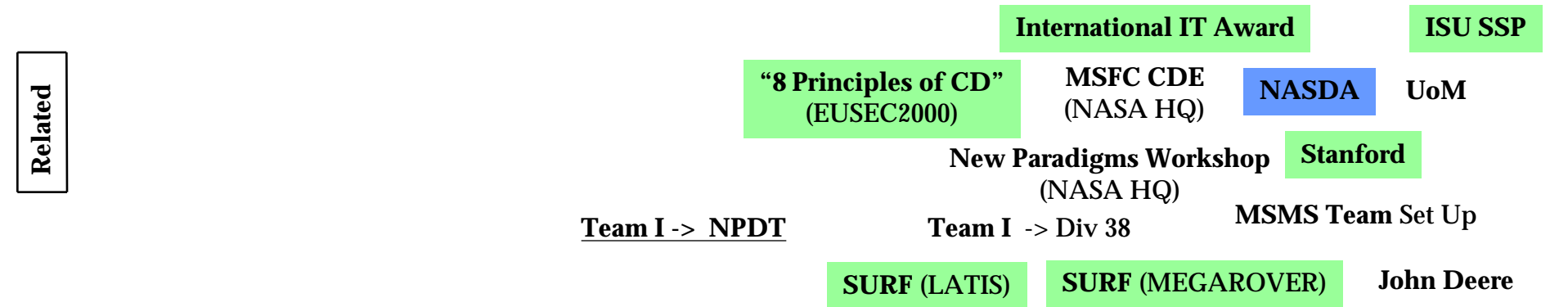
Back to Working Design Sessions Concurrent Design



Design Flow Improvements

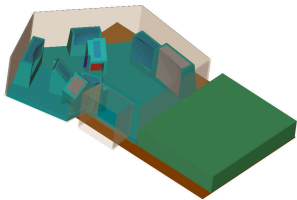


The Steps...

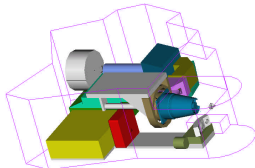


In A Nut Shell

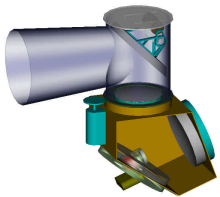
Discovery Phase 1
Gulliver



DS (ST)-4/CIRCLE

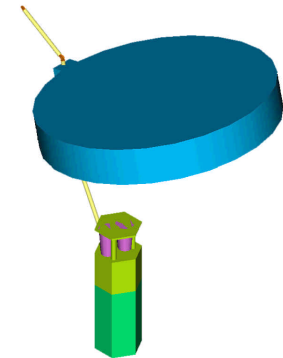


Search Camera for the
CNES Orbiter

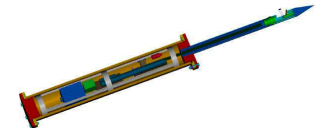


- Concurrent **Design** and **Analysis** Environment
- **Real-Time** Analysis and Design
- Total **Systems** Approach, **Multi-Disciplinary** Team
- **Standing** Design Team
- **Customer** Actively Participates in the Design Sessions
- **Input Parameters** are **Challenged** in Real-Time
- Involved **External Experts** in the Design Sessions
- Joint Sessions with other **NASA Centers**
- From **Concept** to **Engineering Drawings**
- **Interconnected, High-End** Optical, Microwave, Mechanical/CAD , Thermal, Structural, Dynamics, Simulation, Orbital, Electronics Analysis and Design Tools, such as Code V, ZeMax, Mechanical Desktop, (Inventor), NASTRAN, Thermal Desktop, Adams, MODTool, and visualNASTRAN + (PowerTool, Telecomm., Avionics)
- Applications Utilize a **Common** CAD Developed **Geometry**
- **Open Environment**, import/export of STEP, NASTRAN files, etc., from/to JPL, other NASA centers, and Industry
- **Technology Insertion** Through Cooperation with MDL/TAP
- Analysis and Design **Time Cut from Months to Weeks**

IIP/OSIRIS



Loihi Deep Ocean,
Volcanic
Vent Probe

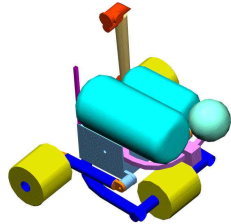




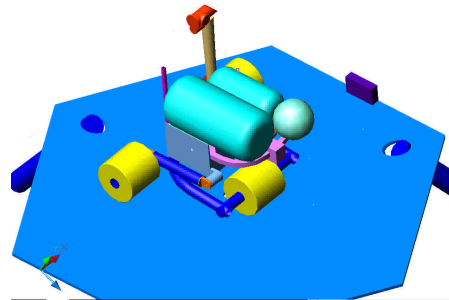
Approach

Sizing, Configuration, and Simulation

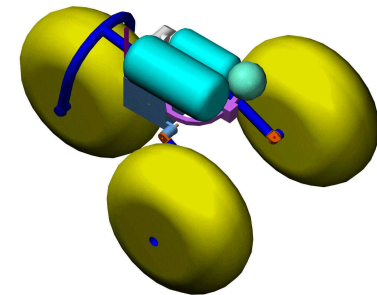
Mars Outpost 50km Fuel Cell Rover



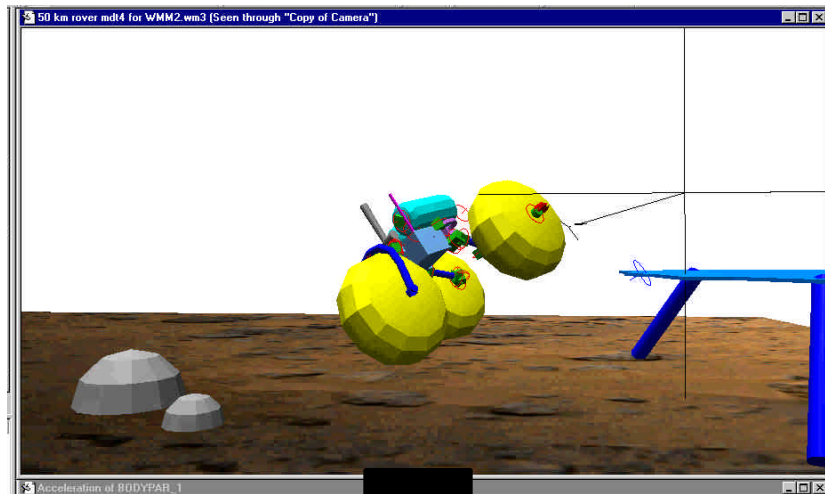
Lander Configuration



Deployment Sequence

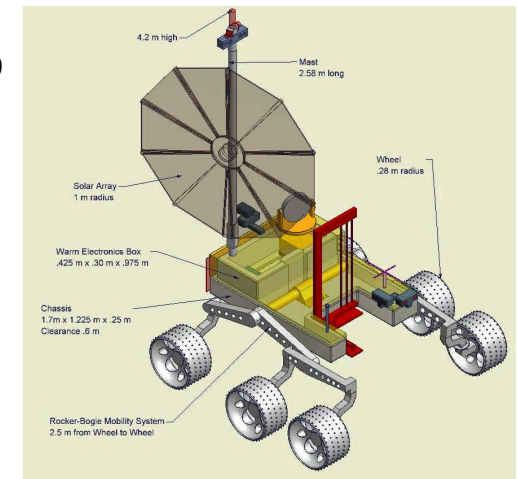


Surface Configuration



Operational Scenario
Simulation

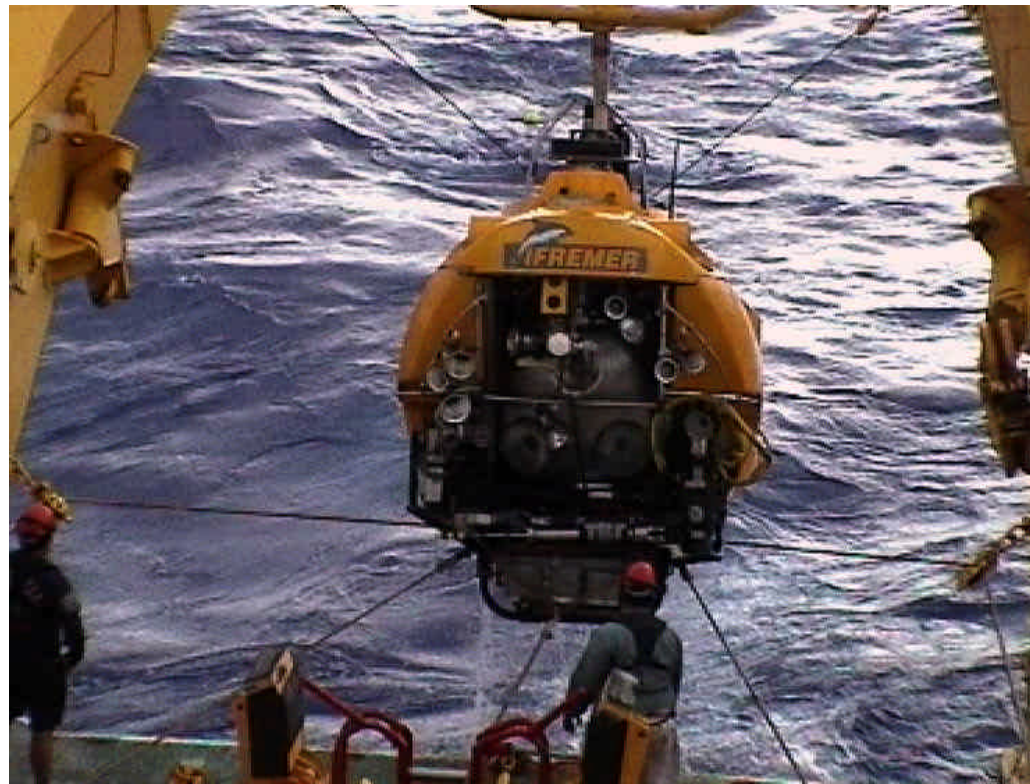
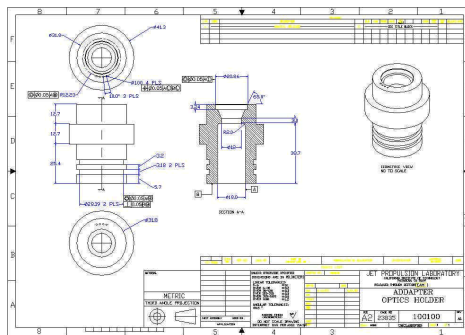
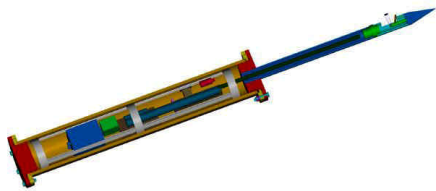
SURF 2001 Rover (MSMS Rover Team)



Support: Mechanical (parts and assemblies), Structural, Surface Mobility/Ops Simulations,
Trade Studies, Mass Summary

Approach

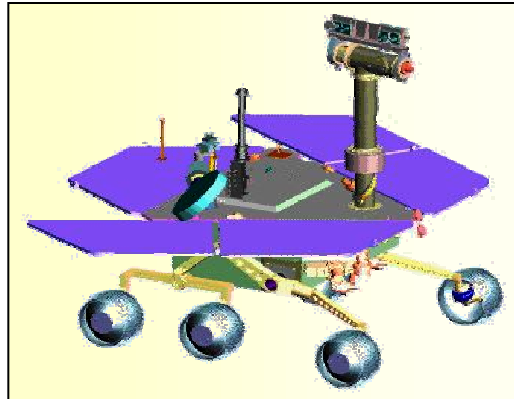
Concept, Hardware, Science Data



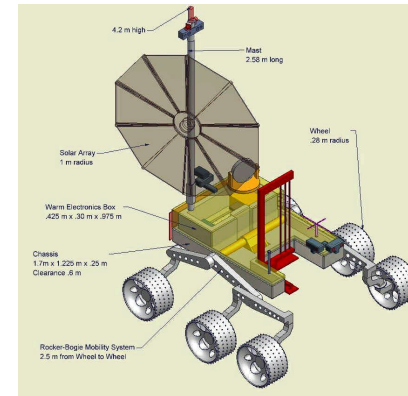
Support: Mechanical (parts and assemblies), Structural, Electronics, Optics, and Engineering Drawings

Mars Surface Mobility Studies

Mars Advanced Studies



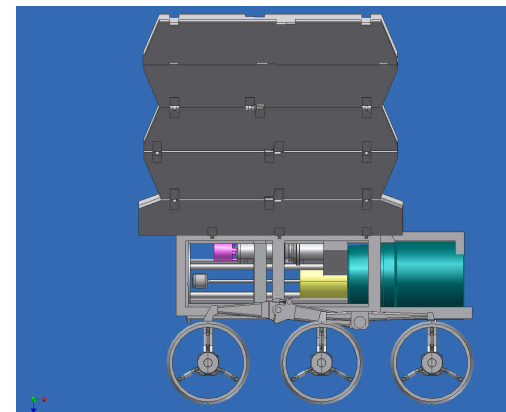
**Volcanology, MER
Derivative**



Polar Layer Deposit (PLD)

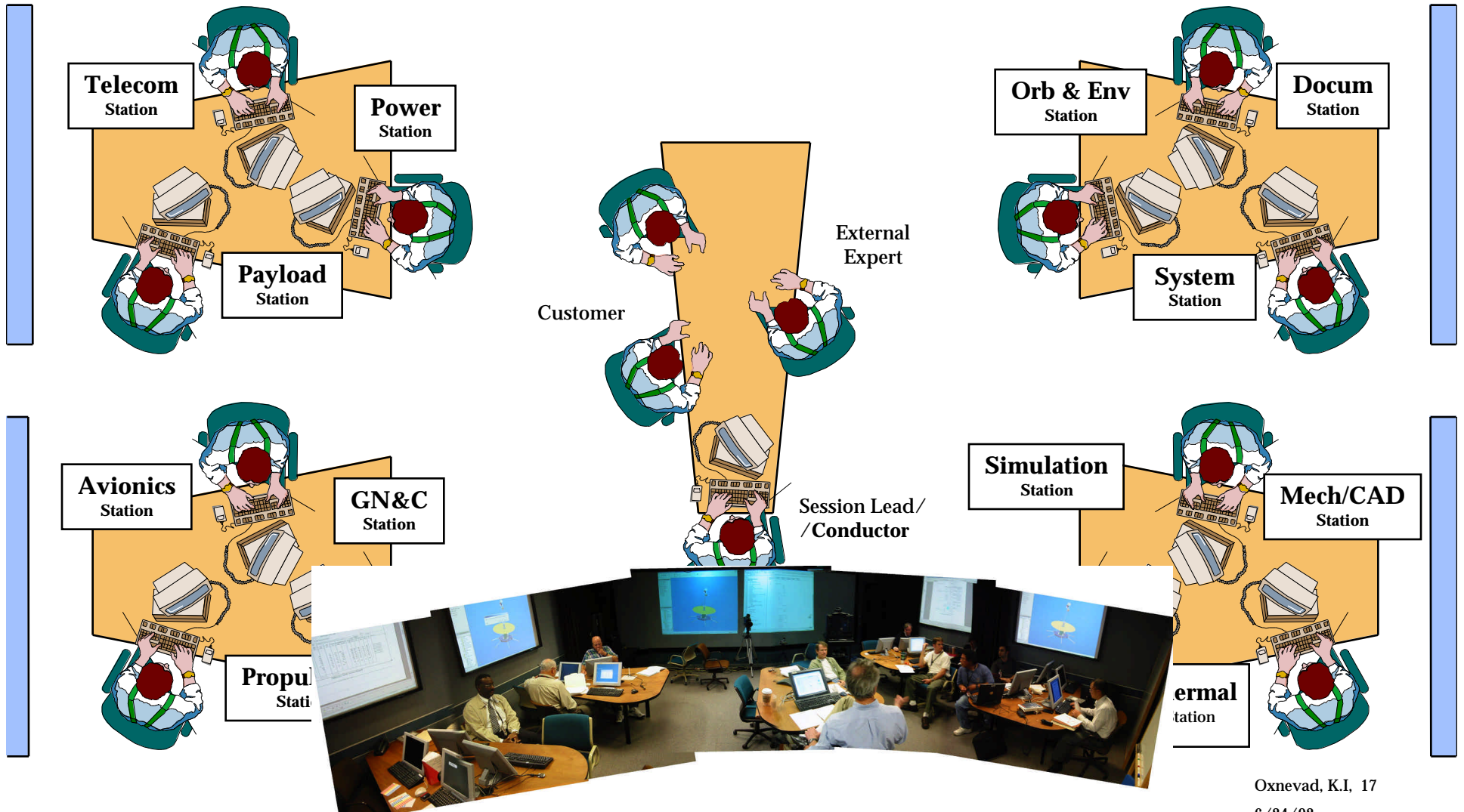


**Fission Powered Polar Based
Cryobot Lander Mission**

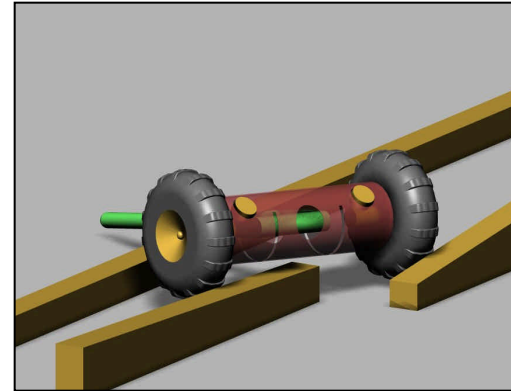
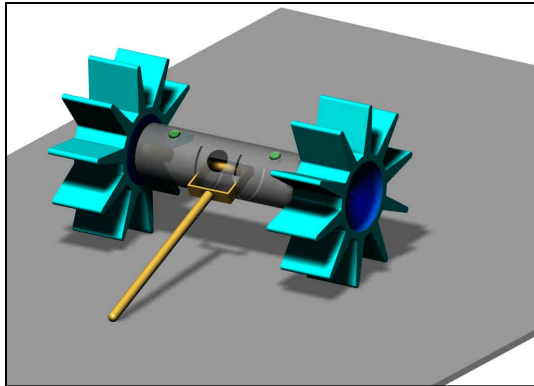


**Fission Powered
Rover Mission**

The Mars Surface Mobility Study (MSMS) Team

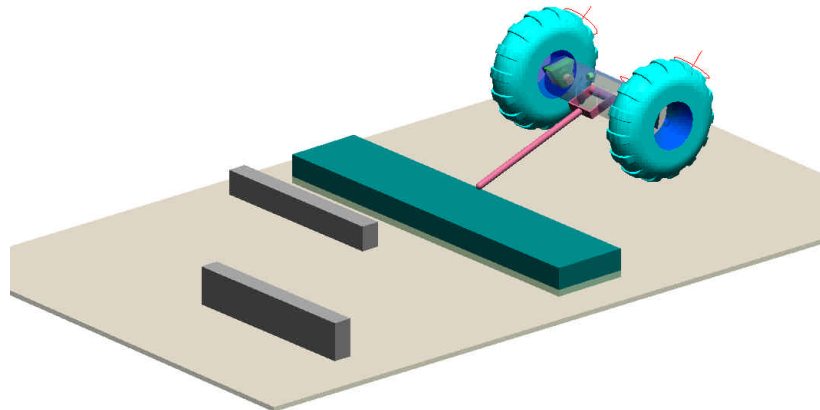


Simulation/Virtual Testing



Trades

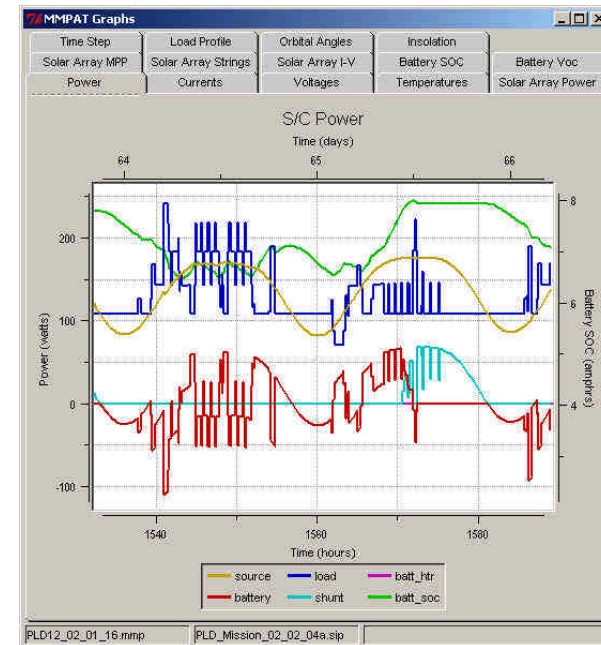
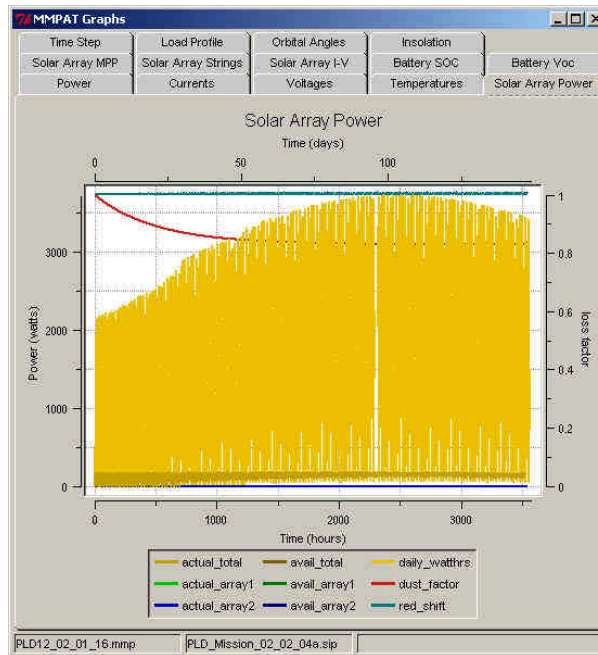
Wheel Diameter
Castor length
Wheel Base
Wheel plus rim
Castor Mass
Axelrod Mass
Axel Mass



Tools Used

Inventor
and visualNASTRAN

Power Analysis/Simulation Tool Mars Mission Analysis Tool (MMAPT)



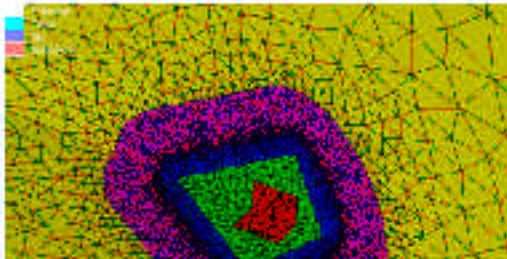
JPL's Mars Mission Analysis Tool (MMAPT) Included in Environment

Calculates, for a Given Location, Date, and Mission Power Profile:

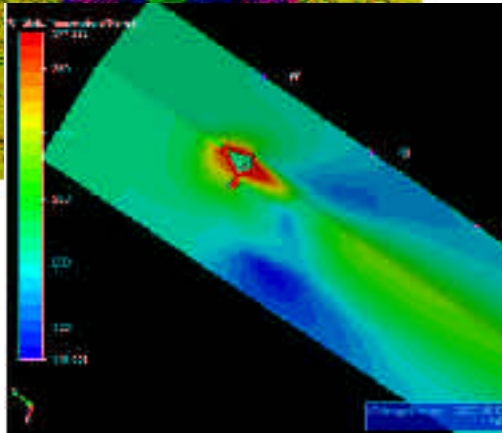
- Solar Power Available
- Battery Charge and Voltage
- Solar Panels and Battery Sizes/Capacities

Plan to Introduce Avionics and Telecom Tools Later

CFD and Immersive 3D COTS Tools



Closeup Meshed
probe - CFdesign



Sample temperature
distribution - CFdesign

Dr Tibor Balint, Assessment of Commercial Off the Shelf
Computational Fluid Dynamics (COTS-CFD) Tools to Enhance the
Concurrent Design Environment at NASA-JPL, JPL, May 2002

Objective

**Evaluate CFD and 3D Immersive Tools For use in a
Real-Time Concurrent Design Environment**

Evaluation and Recommendation Completed

Beyond Engineering

Background Image, Courtesy, S. Shariq

Nano Engineering

Enterprise Design
& Operations

Project Plan
& Operations

Surgical Teams

VC Support

Bio Engineering

NASA Projects/Enterprises

Science

Regional Planning

**Vision: Empower 21st Century Managers to
Design and Operate Organizations the way
Engineers and Scientists Work**

**Computer Sciences
Social Sciences
Cognitive Sciences
(Stanford)**

**Economics
Finance
Marketing
(EDL)**

Concurrent Design Basics

Real-time, concurrent, teams, sophisticated true physics
modeling and simulation to create designs in **shorter time**
and with **higher quality** that can be successfully
developed and operated

Systems Engineering

Oxnevad, Dissertation

Concurrent Engineering

Roman Structures
Vasco Da Gama Bridge over Tagus

Build "real prototypes" (with considerable trepidation)
Observe their behavior
Learn from experience

Create, test and refine multiple "virtual prototypes" of real structure in its context
Predict performance, optimize trade-offs
Build real structure with confidence

Curriculum/Support

B. Discipline., Performance, and Design Team Training

1. Concurrent Design Exercise

Train people from Cross-Centers to work together as a team, utilize the concurrent design approach (real time, concurrency), utilize higher-end tools to develop a specific technology/project/mission.

- Relevant topics to be selected by Programs, Centers, or Enterprises.
- Such training possible at the CSMAD at JPL: 5-7 days
- Process and Tools Training
- **Learn to Live in** a Concurrent Design Environment
- Member and Leader Training
- History: SURF, University of Michigan (Mars Program)



MSR Study, University of Michigan, April 1-5, 2002
Week Training and Problem Solving

Curriculum/Support

B. Discipline., Performance, and Design Team Training

CSMAD*



3. Design and Analysis Support for Difficult Projects

Solve specific problems that are hard to solve in a short time any other way.



- Relevant Experts on Team (NASA, non NASA, JPL)
- On-site and through Internet
- DoE Mars Surface Fission Power Study
- Experts could be picked from experts already trained

Future Directions

- Develop An Art to Part Design Process for space vehicles (Concept to Hardware)
- Better Utilization of COTS tools in the Analysis, Design, and Simulation Areas
- Better Utilization of STEP
- Use of HPC (supercomputers, parallel computing systems)
 - CFD, Thermal, Structural)
- Utilization of Concurrent Design Teams **throughout the Design Process**, and throughout the **Organization**
- Define, train, and **set up of new Design Teams** (JPL, NASA centers [MSFC, LaRC, NARC,], NASDA, **industry**, and academia [Stanford and MIT])
- Set up **Workshops** to Bring Focus on New Design Paradigms (<http://nsd2001.jpl.nasa.gov>)
- Develop Working **Relationships with Academic Organizations**/Initiate Research
 - Caltech (SURF, on-going)
 - International Space University (ISU)
 - MIT, Stanford, University of Irvine California, Pasadena Art Center, University of Southern California (TBD)
 - University of Michigan (April 2002)
- Transfer the Concurrent Design Process to New Domains (Stanford, in Progress)

Creates Winners!

